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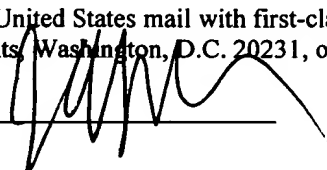
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Office Action mailed April 10, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration.

REMARKS

In response to the Office Action mailed April 10, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration. Claims 1-7 are pending in the application.

In Paragraph 1 of the Office Action, the Examiner acknowledged receipt of papers submitted under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d). However, the Office Action indicated that the printed application number in the submitted certified copy of the priority document does not match with the number indicated in the Declaration and required correction. Applicant notes that this same observation was made in the prior Office Action mailed 10/02/01 (hereinafter "the first Office Action").

In Applicant's response to the first Office Action, mailed January 2, 2002, Applicant stated that corrected documents would be submitted with Applicant's next response. In fact, on February 11, 2002. Applicant submitted a Supplemental Response that included a certified copy of UK Application No. 9814014.8 to which priority is claimed in the present application.